

required, further notice of such hearing will be duly given.

Under the procedure herein provided for, unless otherwise advised, it will be unnecessary for FGT to appear or to be represented at the hearing.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. ER96-2435-000]**

**J.D. Enterprises; Notice of Issuance of Order**

October 24, 1996.

J.D. Enterprises (Enterprises) submitted for filing a rate schedule under which Enterprises will engage in wholesale electric power and energy transactions as a marketer. Enterprises also requested waiver of various Commission regulations. In particular, Enterprises requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR Part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by Enterprises.

On October 16, 1996, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, Division of Applications, Office of Electric Power Regulation, granted requests for blanket approval under Part 34, subject to the following:

Within thirty days of the date of the order, any person desiring to be heard or to protest the blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by Enterprises should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214).

Absent a request for hearing within this period, Enterprises is authorized to issue securities and assume obligations or liabilities as a guarantor, endorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issuance or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of the applicant, and compatible with the public interest, and is reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

The Commission reserves the right to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued approval of Enterprises' issuances of securities or assumptions of liability.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is November 15, 1996.

Copies of the full text of the order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. ER95-791-003]**

**Jersey Central Power & Light Company, Metropolitan Edison Company, Pennsylvania Electric Company; Notice of Filing**

October 23, 1996.

Take notice that on August 16, 1996, the GPU Service Corporation on behalf of Jersey Central Power & Light Company, Metropolitan Edison Company and Pennsylvania Electric Company tendered for filing its compliance report in the above-referenced docket.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 18 CFR 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before November 1, 1996. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. RP97-40-000]**

**Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff**

October 23, 1996.

Take notice that on October 18, 1996, Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America (Natural) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Sixth Revised Volume No. 1 and Second Revised Volume No. 2, certain tariff sheets to be effective December 1, 1996.

Natural states that the purpose of the filing is to comply with the Commission's Order No. 582 issued on

September 28, 1995 in Docket No. RM95-3-000.

Natural requests waiver of the Commission's Regulations to the extent necessary to permit the tariff sheets submitted to become effective December 1, 1996.

Natural states that copies of the filing are being mailed to its jurisdictional customers and interested state regulatory agencies.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed as provided in Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. CP97-39-000]**

**NorAm Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization**

October 23, 1996.

Take notice that on October 17, 1996, NorAm Gas Transmission Company (NorAm), 1600 Smith Street, Houston, Texas 77002, filed in Docket No. CP97-39-000 a request pursuant to Sections 157.205 and 157.211 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205 and 157.211) for authorization to construct and operate certain upgraded facilities in Crittenden County, Arkansas. NorAm makes such request, under its blanket certificate issued in Docket Nos. CP82-384-000 and CP82-384-001, pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, all as more fully set forth in the request on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

NorAm specifically proposes to upgrade and operate an existing 1-inch rural delivery tap to provide service to customers other than the original right-of-way grantor. NorAm states that ARKLA, a distribution division of